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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Patent Interference No. 105,408 (RT)

BESTFOODS<sup>1</sup> (6,328,550) Junior Party,

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BARBER FOODS (10/314,752), Senior Party.

Entered: 25 April 2006

JUDGMENT - Bd.R. 127(b) - Requested

Before LEE, TORCZON, and MOORE, Administrative Patent Judges.

TORCZON, Administrative Patent Judge.

Bestfoods has abandoned the contest (Paper 30). Consequently, the case is ripe for judgment under Bd.R. 127(b). In view of Bestfoods' abandonment of the contest, it is:

ORDERED that judgment be entered AGAINST junior party Bestfoods with respect to count 1, the sole count;

FURTHER ORDERED that claims 1-8, all of the involved claims, of Bestfoods' involved patent be CANCELED;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Conopco, Inc. is the real party-in-interest.

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1 FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this decision be placed in the

administrative records of the involved patent and the involved application.

JAMESON LEE Administrative Patent Judge

RICHARD TORCZON Administrative Patent Judge

JAMES T. MOORE Administrative Patent Judge BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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